GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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CONTRACTUAL SYSTEM
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether contractual system has been in vogue at large scale in several agencies under his ministry;

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the reasons therefor;

(c) whether any irregularities have been noticed in the works of some departments;

(d) if so, the details thereof and action taken by the Government thereon;

(e) whether the Government proposes to minimise the contractual work and entrust responsibility to the governmental agencies; and

(f) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI AJAY MAKEN)

(a): Outsourcing & engaging on contract is confind only to activities that Government does not possess the in-house expertise. It is therefore, not resorted to on a large scale.

(b)to(f): Do not arise.